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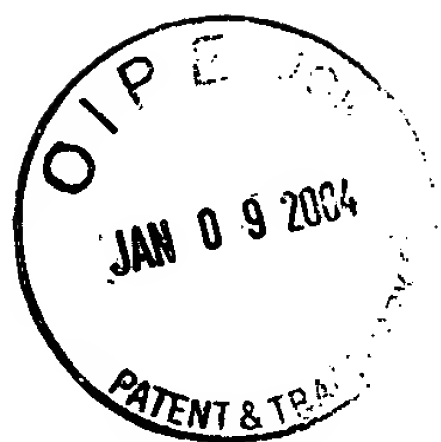
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	Art Unit	1637
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Applicants : Robert A. Henderson et al.  
Application No. : 09/902,941  
Filed : July 10, 2001  
For : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE THERAPY AND  
DIAGNOSIS OF LUNG CANCER

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Art Unit : 1637  
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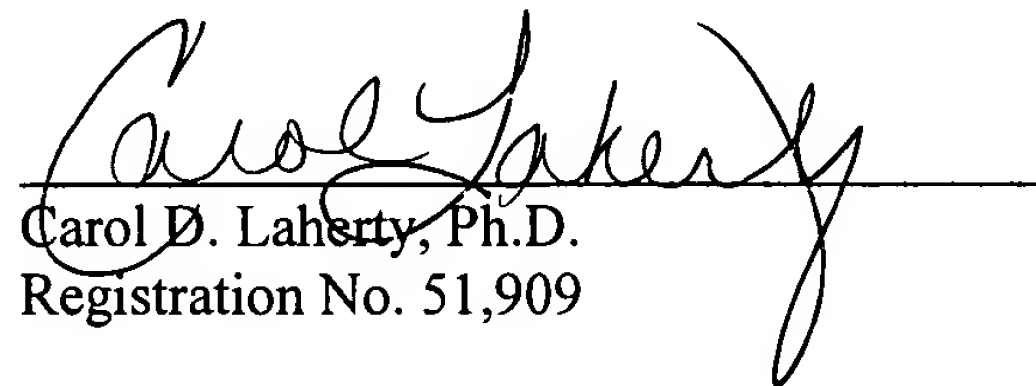
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Accordingly, applicants hereby request that this file be withdrawn from abandonment and the Amendment mailed August 21, 2003 be entered into the application. Should questions remain, the Examiner is invited to contact applicants' attorney, Carol D. Laherty, Ph.D. by telephone at 206-622-4900 or by email at caroll@seedlaw.com.

Respectfully submitted,

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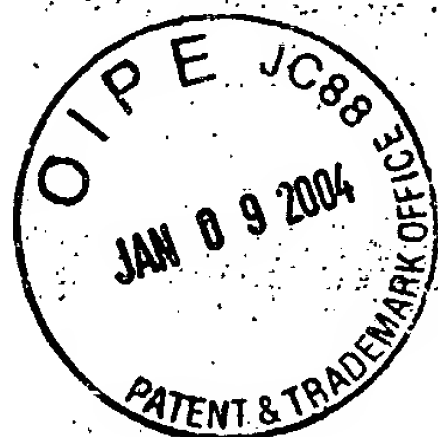
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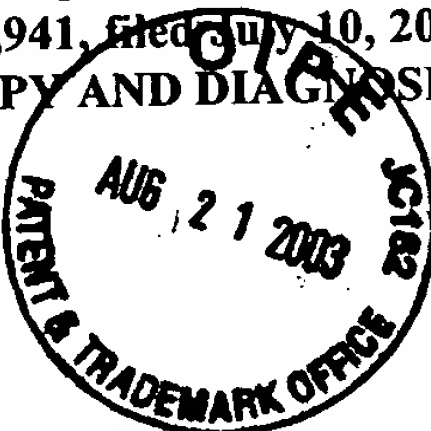
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